# **NEW APPLICATION**



1 CORPORATION COMMISSION 2 Arizona Corporation Commission **COMMISSIONERS** 3 DOCKETED JEFF HATCH-MILLER, Chairman 4 WILLIAM A. MUNDELL APR 2 7 2005 MARC SPITZER 5 MIKE GLEASON DOCKETED BY KRISTIN K. MAYES 6 In the matter of: DOCKET NO. S-03479A-05-0000 7 CHRISTOPHER D. DEDMON, CRD#3015575, NOTICE OF **OPPORTUNITY** 8 and KIMBERLY DEDMON, husband and wife, HEARING REGARDING **PROPOSED** 8181 W. Gelding Lane TO ORDER CEASE AND DESIST 9 Peoria, AZ 85381 ORDER, FOR RESTITUTION. ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES, AND 10 OMNI HORIZON GROUP, LLP FOR OTHER AFFIRMATIVE ACTION 7019 N. 53rd Ave. 11 Glendale, AZ 85301 12 Respondents. 13 NOTICE: EACH RESPONDENT HAS 10 DAYS TO REQUEST A HEARING 14 EACH RESPONDENT HAS 30 DAYS TO FILE AN ANSWER 15 The Securities Division ("Division") of the Arizona Corporation Commission 16 ("Commission") alleges that CHRISTOPHER D. DEDMON ("CHRIS DEDMON") and 17 KIMBERLY DEDMON, husband and wife, and OMNI HORIZON GROUP, LLP ("OMNI") have 18 engaged in acts, practices and transactions, which constitute violations of the Securities Act of 19 Arizona, A.R.S. § 44-1801 et seq. ("Securities Act"). 20 21 JURISDICTION 22 1. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Article XV of the Arizona 23 Constitution and the Securities Act. 24 25 27 A IO

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II.

### RESPONDENTS

- CHRIS DEDMON's and KIMBERLY DEDMON's last known address is 8181 W. Gelding Lane, Peoria, Arizona 85381.
- At all relevant times, Respondents CHRIS DEDMON and KIMBERLY DEDMON were
  acting for their own benefit and for the benefit or in furtherance of the marital community.
- 4. In the alternative, KIMBERLY DEDMON was at all relevant times the spouse of CHRIS DEDMON. KIMBERLY DEDMON is joined in this action under A.R.S. § 44-2031(C) solely for purposes of determining the liability of the marital community.
- 5. OMNI is an Arizona limited liability partnership established on or around August 22, 2000, whose last known address was 7019 N. 53<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Glendale, Arizona, 85301. At all relevant times, KIMBERLY DEDMON was the general partner of OMNI.
- 6. CHRIS DEDMON and KIMBERLY DEDMON may be collectively referred to as "DEDMON." DEDMON and OMNI may be collectively referred to as "RESPONDENTS."

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#### **FACTS**

- 7. Clear Energy Systems, Inc. fka Clear Horizons Energy Systems, Inc. ("Clear Energy") is and was at all relevant times a privately held company, originally incorporated in the State of Nevada on June 5, 2001. On or around May 17, 2002, Clear Energy filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission as a foreign corporation, whose place of business was 2415 East Camelback Road, Suite #700, Phoenix, Arizona 85016. On or around October 9, 2002, Clear Energy filed a statement of change of known place of business to 14022 North 47th Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85032-5543.
- 8. On or around June 5 2001, RESPONDENTS received a stock certificate issued to OMNI for 5,500,000 shares of common stock of Clear Energy. The certificate stated that the shares were "transferable only on the books of the Corporation by the holder hereof in person or by duly

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IV.

## VIOLATION OF A.R.S. § 44-1841

# (Offer or Sale of Unregistered Securities)

- 16. From on or about December 12, 2001 through March 6, 2005, RESPONDENTS offered or sold securities in the form of evidences of indebtedness and/or fractional shares of certificates of stock of Clear Energy owned by OMNI, i.e., investment contracts, within or from Arizona.
- 17. The securities referred to above were not registered pursuant to the provisions of Articles 6 or 7 of the Securities Act.
  - 18. This conduct violates A.R.S. § 44-1841.

V.

## VIOLATION OF A.R.S. § 44-1842

# (Transactions by Unregistered Dealers or Salesmen)

- 19. RESPONDENTS offered or sold securities within or from Arizona, while not registered as dealers or salesmen pursuant to the provisions of Article 9 of the Securities Act.
  - 20. This conduct violates A.R.S. § 44-1842.

VI.

# VIOLATION OF A.R.S. § 44-1991

# (Fraud in Connection with the Offer or Sale of Securities)

21. In connection with the offer or sale of securities within or from Arizona, RESPONDENTS directly or indirectly: (i) employed a device, scheme or artifice to defraud; (ii) made untrue statements of material fact or omitted to state material facts which were necessary in order to make the statements made not misleading in light of the circumstances under which they were made; and (iii) engaged in transactions, practices or courses of business which operated or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon offerees and investors. RESPONDENTS' conduct includes, but is not limited to, the following:

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a)	Failing to disclose	that the	certificates	were not	transferred	on th	e books	of Clear
Energy;								

- b) Failing to disclose the specific risks relating to the transfer of the shares of stock on the books of Clear Energy; and
- c) Failing to disclose the offer and sale of the stock certificates of Clear Energy to the company, which operated or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon offerees and investors.
  - 22. This conduct violates A.R.S. § 44-1991.
- 23. CHRIS DEDMON and KIMBERLY DEDMON directly or indirectly controlled OMNI within the meaning of A.R.S. § 44-1999. Therefore, CHRIS DEDMON and KIMBERLY DEDMON are liable to the same extent as OMNI for its violations of A.R.S. § 44-1991.
- 24. CHRIS DEDMON made, participated in or induced the sale and purchase of a security within the meaning of A.R.S. § 44-2003(A). Therefore, CHRIS DEDMON is jointly and severally liable for the above violations of A.R.S. § 44-1841, 44-1842, and 44-1991.

### VII.

## REQUESTED RELIEF

The Division requests that the Commission grant the following relief against RESPONDENTS:

- Order RESPONDENTS to permanently cease and desist from violating the Securities Act, pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-2032;
- Order RESPONDENTS to take affirmative action to correct the conditions resulting from their acts, practices or transactions, including a requirement to make restitution pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-2032;
- 3. Order RESPONDENTS to pay the state of Arizona administrative penalties of up to five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for each violation of the Securities Act, pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-2036;

4. Order that the marital communities of CHRIS DEDMON, and KIMBERLY DEDMON be subject to any order of restitution, rescission, administrative penalties, or other appropriate affirmative action pursuant to A.R.S. § 25-215; and

Order any other relief that the Commission deems appropriate.

#### VIII.

## **HEARING OPPORTUNITY**

RESPONDENTS may request a hearing pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-1972 and A.A.C. R14-4-306. If any RESPONDENT requests a hearing, the RESPONDENT must also answer this Notice. A request for hearing must be in writing and received by the Commission within 10 business days after service of this Notice of Opportunity for Hearing. Each RESPONDENT must deliver or mail the request to Docket Control, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 W. Washington, Phoenix, Arizona 85007. A Docket Control cover sheet must accompany the request. A cover sheet form and instructions may be obtained from Docket Control by calling (602) 542-3477 or on the Commission's Internet web site at www.cc.state.az.us/utility/forms/index.htm.

If a request for a hearing is timely made, the Commission shall schedule the hearing to begin 20 to 60 days from the receipt of the request unless otherwise provided by law, stipulated by the parties, or ordered by the Commission. If a request for a hearing is not timely made, the Commission may, without a hearing, enter an order against each RESPONDENT granting the relief requested by the Division in this Notice of Opportunity for Hearing.

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter, as well as request this document in an alternative format, by contacting Linda Hogan, Executive Assistant to the Executive Secretary, voice phone number 602/542-3931, e-mail <a href="mailto:lhogan@azcc.gov">lhogan@azcc.gov</a>. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

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#### IX.

## ANSWER REQUIREMENT

Pursuant to A.A.C. R14-4-305, if any RESPONDENT or RESPONDENTS request a hearing, such RESPONDENT or RESPONDENTS must deliver or mail an Answer to this Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to Docket Control, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 W. Washington, Phoenix, Arizona 85007, within 30 calendar days after the date of service of this Notice of Opportunity for Hearing. A Docket Control cover sheet must accompany the Answer. A cover sheet form and instructions may be obtained from Docket Control by calling (602) 542-3477 or on the Commission's Internet web site at www.cc.state.az.us/utility/forms/index.htm.

Additionally, each RESPONDENT or RESPONDENTS must serve the Answer upon the Division. Pursuant to A.A.C. R14-4-303, service upon the Division may be made by mailing or by hand-delivering a copy of the Answer to the Division at 1300 West Washington, 3rd Floor, Phoenix, Arizona, 85007, addressed to Pamela T. Johnson, the attorney of record for the Securities Division.

The Answer shall contain an admission or denial of each allegation in this Notice and the original signature of each RESPONDENT, RESPONDENT's attorney. A statement of a lack of sufficient knowledge or information shall be considered a denial of an allegation. An allegation not denied shall be considered admitted.

When a RESPONDENT or RESPONDENTS intends in good faith to deny only a part or a qualification of an allegation, such RESPONDENT or RESPONDENTS shall specify that part or

qualification of the allegation and shall admit the remainder. RESONDENT or RESPONDENTS waive any affirmative defense not raised in the answer.

The officer presiding over the hearing may grant relief from the requirement to file an Answer for good cause shown.

Dated this 26 day of April, 2005.

Matthew Neubert Director of Securities